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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:

Katsuhiro Horikawa et al.

Application No.: 10/624,537

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For: MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR  
MONOLITHIC PIEZOELECTRIC PART,  
AND MONOLITHIC PIEZOELECTRIC  
PART

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated October 22, 2004, please consider the above-identified U.S. patent application amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.

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